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DOT-E 9617  
(SEVENTH REVISION)

EXPIRATION DATE: July 31, 2001

1. GRANTEE: Buckeley Powder Co.  
Englewood, CO  
(See Appendix A for list of additional grantees.)
2. PURPOSE AND LIMITATION: This exemption authorizes the transportation in commerce of Division 1.4D flexible detonating cords containing not more than 3 grains of explosive per linear foot in the same motor vehicle or freight container with Division 1.1B, Division 1.4B or Division 1.4S Detonators, electric or non-electric or Division 1.1B or Division 1.4B Detonator assemblies, non-electric. This exemption provides no relief from any regulation other than as specifically stated herein.
3. REGULATORY SYSTEM AFFECTED: 49 CFR Parts 106, 107 and 171-180.
4. REGULATIONS FROM WHICH EXEMPTED: 49 CFR § 177.835(g).
5. BASIS: This exemption is based on the application of Buckley Powder Co. dated November 1, 1999, submitted in accordance with § 107.109.
6. HAZARDOUS MATERIALS (49 CFR § 172.101):

Hazardous materials description/proper shipping name	Hazard Class/ Division	Identification number	Packing Group
Cord, detonating, <i>flexible</i>	1.4D	UN0289	II

Only Division 1.4D detonating cords which have been approved under EX-8512072, EX-8512082, EX-8809106, EX-8809107, EX-8809108, and EX-9412025 may be offered for electric or non-electric, transportation under this

exemption. Other Division 1.4D detonating cords may be authorized to be shipped under this exemption if examined and approved in accordance with the procedures under § 173.56 and specifically identified and acknowledged in writing by Office of Hazardous Materials Exemptions and Approvals.

7. PACKAGING AND SAFETY CONTROL MEASURES:

- a. PACKAGING - Packaging of all Division 1.4D cord, detonating and Division 1.1B or Division 1.4B Detonators, or Detonating assemblies must be as specified in § 173.62.
- b. MARKING - The DOT EX-Approval Numbers for all Division 1.4D detonating cords approved for shipment under this exemption must be marked on each package in close proximity to the Proper Shipping Name, in lieu of marking the Exemption Number, DOT-E 9716.
- c. OTHER - No Division 1.4D detonating cords shipped under this exemption may contain more than 3 grains net weight of explosive substances per linear foot. All detonating cords must have an EX-Approval Number and be authorized by the OHMEA for transportation under this exemption prior to their first shipment.

8. SPECIAL PROVISIONS: None as a requirement of this exemption.

9. MODES OF TRANSPORTATION AUTHORIZED. Motor vehicle and cargo vessel.

10. MODAL REQUIREMENTS: A current copy of this exemption must be carried aboard each cargo vessel or motor vehicle used to transport packages covered by this exemption.


11. COMPLIANCE. Failure by a person to comply with any of the following may result in suspension or revocation of this exemption and penalties prescribed by the Federal hazardous materials transportation laws 49 U.S.C. 5101 et seq:

- o All terms and conditions prescribed in this exemption and the Hazardous Materials Regulations, 49 CFR Parts 171-180.
- o Registration required by § 107.601 et seq., when applicable.

No person may use or apply this exemption, including display of its number, when the exemption has expired or is otherwise no longer in effect.

12. REPORTING REQUIREMENTS. The carrier is required to report any incident involving loss of packaging contents or packaging failure to the Associate Administrator for Hazardous Materials Safety (AAHMS) as soon as practicable. (Sections 171.15 and 171.16 apply to any activity undertaken under the authority of this exemption.) In addition, the holder(s) of this exemption must inform the AAHMS, in writing, of any incidents involving fire, explosion or loss of the package contents or packaging during shipments made under the terms of this exemption.

Issued at Washington, D.C.:

*for*   
Alán I. Roberts  
Associate Administrator  
for Hazardous Materials Safety

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Address all inquiries to: Associate Administrator for Hazardous Materials Safety, Research and Special Programs Administration, Department of Transportation, Washington, D.C. 20590.  
Attention: DHM-31.

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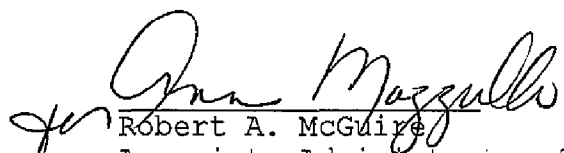
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The following are hereby granted party status to this exemption based on their application(s) submitted in accordance with §§ 107.107 or 107.109, as appropriate:

Company Name City/State	Application Date	Issue Date	Expiration Date
American West Explosives, Inc. Plymouth, CA	5/15/2001	6/7/2001	4/30/2003
American East Explosives, Inc. Wilmington, DE	9/29/99	10/21/99	7/31/2001
Buckley Powder Co. of Oklahoma, Inc. Mill Creek, OK	11/1/99	12/20/99	7/31/2001
Cherokee Products, Inc. Jefferson City, TN	9/28/99	10/21/99	7/31/2001
Explosives Supply, Inc. Ringwood, NJ	6/13/2001	6/28/2001	4/30/2003
Evenson Explosives, LLC Morris, IL	4/23/2001	5/10/2001	4/30/2003
Golden State Explosives, Inc. Plymouth, CA	5/15/2001	6/7/2001	4/30/2003
John Joseph, Inc. Ringwood, NJ	6/13/2001	JUL 9 2001	4/30/2003
Meggitt Safety Systems, Inc. Simi Valley, CA	5/22/2001	6/28/2001	4/30/2003

  
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